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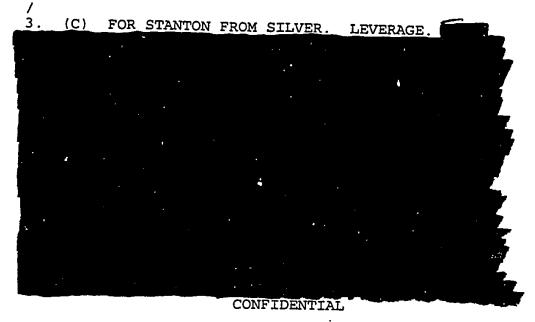
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AGENCIES APPEAR TO BE STIFFING MFA ON THIS ISSUE, ANY
COORDINATING ROLE THAT LIU MIGHT PERFORM TAKES ON

ADDED IMPORTANCE. I DESCRIBE ALL OF THIS, BECAUSE A
CHARGE'S ACCESS IS LIMITED IN THE BEST OF TIMES,
THESE ARE DEFINITELY NOT THE BEST OF TIMES, AND SOME
QUARTERS MAY BE WONDERING WHAT WE ARE DOING. WE, OF
COURSE, PARALLELED TARNOFF.S EFFORTS WITH ZHOU
WENZHONG AT OUR INDEPENDENCE DAY RECEPTION WITH VFM
JIANG AND YANG JIECHI, BUT THAT WAS TWO DAYS AGO, AND
I KNOW THE KINDS OF ACTIVISM THAT THIS KIND OF
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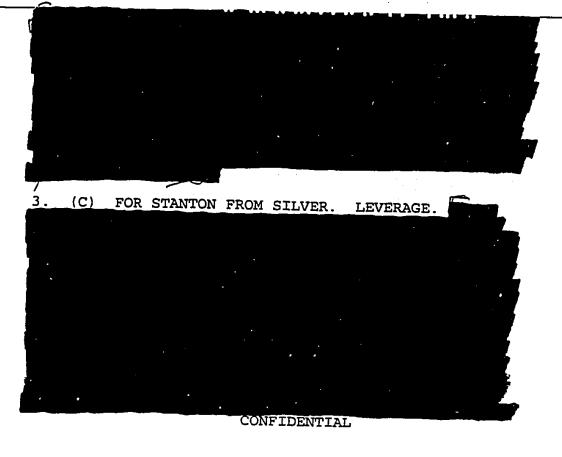
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